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The Honorable Therese Wiley Dancks
United States Magistrate Judge
United States District Court
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Federal Building and United States Courthouse
100 South Clinton Street
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Re: *Haag-Morris v. Correctional Medical Care,* No. 13-CV-1321 (TWD)

Dear Judge Dancks:

As Your Honor is aware, the Court assisted the parties in resolving this action. Enclosed for filing under seal please find proof of filing of the Petition to Distribute the Estate of Frederick Haag. While this filing is not expressly required by the Court's order, past wrongful death settlements in which I have participated have required proof of filing of a petition for distribution, and I provide that proof with this letter. This proof of filing would, absent the confidentiality provisions in the settlement, have been filed as an attachment to Docket Number 163, a formal Notice filed by the Plaintiff. Given the settlement's confidentiality provisions, I respectfully request that this proof of filing be filed under seal accordingly.

Thank you for your consideration of this letter. Should Your Honor require anything further, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Respectfully Yours,

Elmer Robert Keach, III

Enclosure

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